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ABSTRACT

A fast disintegrating controlled release oral composition comprising a core material containing cefuroxime axetil present as controlled release form, the cefuroxime axetil being provided with an outer coating of a copolymer selected from aqueous dispersions of enteric methacrylic acid and methacrylic acid esters anionic copolymers having carboxyl group as the functional group or mixtures thereof and an inner coating of a sustained-release copolymer selected from aqueous dispersions of acrylate and methacrylate pH independent copolymers having quaternary ammonium group as a functional group or mixtures thereof, and optionally probenecid. Additionally, the coating composition may contain plasticizers. The composition is suitable for once daily administration.